

Executive Proclamation State of South Dakota Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, There exists a non-profit, tax exempt organization known as the Good Bears of the World, dedicated to the concept of warmth and caring for others; and,

WHEREAS, This spirit is disseminated by the Good Bears of the World by giving Teddy Bears to children of all ages; and,

WHEREAS, The Teddy Bear, a stalwart, accepting personification which appeals to the child in each of us, symbolizes this love; and,

WHEREAS, The gift of caring creates ever widening circles, reaching beyond our community even to the ends of the earth; and,

WHEREAS, The Teddy Bear was named after a compassionate President, Theodore Roosevelt, whose birthday anniversary is October 27:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 27, 1985, as

GOOD BEAR DAY

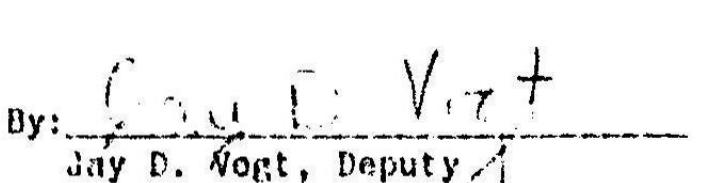
in South Dakota in honor of President Theodore Roosevelt and the Good Bears of the World and ask our citizens to mark this occasion by sharing their love and caring spirit on this day.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Five


WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

By: 
Jay D. Vogt, Deputy

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